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LOCAL NOTES

Blue grass seed at Ed. Lee's.
White clover seed at Ed. Lee's.
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Jan Jaskey of Chelsea is in town.
Ed Lee's knives are good knives.
Ed Lee's scissors are good scissors.
Tat Hunt is attending school at Sedalia.
Old papers at your own price at this office.
Amos Bruton of Muldrow is in town.
Ed. Storms of Coffeyville is in Vinita.
Allotments for fifty Cherokees wanted.
Miss Verna Edmiston came home last night.
Percy L. Walker is here from Ogechee.
Joe Muskrat and family are here from Afton.
S. H. Mayes came up from Pryor Creek today.
Curtains to fit any buggy at Bruno Graffunder's.
Fresh fruit and candy at the Silver Moon restaurant.
Three desirable lots and houses for sale. Apply here.
H. W. Lindsey of Chouteaus transacting business here today.
Harry Bagby left last night for Columbia, Mo., to attend school.
New line of picture frames and molding at Smiley & Graffunder's.
Window glass at Foreman's.
Judge Jonathan Gore, of Bluejacket was a pleasant caller at this office today.
Mrs. A. J. Reynolds and Mrs. Fred Langley were here from Afton yesterday.
The Vinita delegation returned from the statehood convention this morning.
Do you read the Daily Chieftain? If not you are losing the best part of your life.
Mrs. W. I. Jones of Grove is visiting friends and relatives in Vinita this week.
Visiting cards printed with our new type faces "Engraver's Roman" are the latest.
Jonathan Gore and daughter, Mrs. Sam McKessie of Bluejacket returned home this morning.
FOWLER, the permanent photographer for permanent photoprahs.
J. N. Holland, a substantial citizen of Grove, was one of the Cherokee citizens who filed on his allotment today.
Mrs. Jennie Morgan and Mrs. Keeler of Bartlesville arrived last night and will visit relatives and friends.
Rev. F. W. Hawley of Oklahoma City is spending a day or two with Rev. Stabelfield and family at the Presbyterian parsonage.
The People's drug store has put in a new line of spectacles, gold, aluminum and steel frames. We make no charges for fitting glasses to eyes.
A telephone message from Fairland today states that the surveying corps for the Rock Island has located that road to Fairland on the way south.
Atoka, Jan. 9th to 11th, auction sale of town lots. One fare, \$5.10 round trip tickets on sale Jan. 9 and 11, good until and including Jan. 13.
Hot drinks are now being served at the People's drug store. Hot chocolate, tomato bouillon and clam bouillon are a few of the most popular beverages.
Burlingame, I. T., January 10th to 15th auction sale of town lots. One fare \$3 the round trip. Tickets on sale Jan. 10th, 12th and 14th, good until Jan. 16, 1903.
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J. D. Hughes returned this morning from Coffeyville, Kansas, where he went several days ago for the purpose of disposing of his business interests in that city, which he did. He will now make Vinita his permanent home and devote his entire attention to his studio located over the Cherokee National bank.
Mrs. M. M. Emmons, who died at Bartlesville last Sunday, requested that an autopsy be held, and her wishes were complied with, cancer of the stomach being found to have caused her death, and not consumption as was supposed by many of her friends. Her lungs were found to be in perfectly sound condition.

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Ed Lee, an esteemed fellow-citizen, is an old friend of Jake Simon, who plays "Rip" at the opera house tonight and tells many good stories on "Jake," who is the first man he ever saw on the stage, in the old court house at Nevada, Mo., in '74, when Ed was a boy and passed bills for the privilege of seeing Jake act. Ed says that of all the "Rips" he ever saw, Jake is the "only" one; and he takes it upon himself to tell the people of Vinita that they will miss a great treat if they miss seeing Jake as "Rip" tonight. Our exchanges speak in the highest terms of Mr. Simon and his company. This company carries a complete outfit of scenery and electrical effects, and the show is said to be first-class in every respect.

Very Fortunate.

"A Wise Woman," the three act musical comedy by Wilfred Clarke, who is also responsible for that great success, "Oh! Susanna!" has been secured for the near future at the opera house. This is a fortunate booking for Manager Butler and one worthy of special notice as the attraction is to be seen in but few one-night stands this season. Its time having been almost entirely booked in the larger cities of the country. This is strong evidence of the strength of the company.

Taylor-Rickissick.

Mr. W. A. Taylor of Taylor & Lawrence Groceries, and Miss Katherine Irene McKissick of the Ratcliff Millinery store will be united in marriage at the residence of Dr. C. W. Day at 8:30 o'clock this evening. Dr. J. M. Gross will perform the ceremony. Only a few friends will be present. The Chieftain extends congratulations and wishes these popular young people of our town a long and happy life.

Military Land Warrants Wanted.

And Soldiers' Additional Homestead claims. If you have either, send particulars to R. H. Kelley, Baird Bldg., Kansas City, Mo., and see what he will give. Reward for information. Commission to agents, 684.

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